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PART I

IMPORTANT GOVERNMENT ORDERS

CHIEF SECRETARIAT

Passes orders empowering Amildars and Deputy Amildars to order restoration of khates of lands resumed to Government in all cases in which they have power to resume them on payment of arrears.

READ—

Government Order No. R. 4573-81—L. R. 255-37-4, dated the 14th April 1938, empowering the Amildars and Deputy Amildars to restore Khates in cases in which they are empowered to resume lands under Rule 3 (*q*) of Land Revenue Rules provided the power is exercised within the Revenue year next following to which the arrear or any portion thereof relates.

2. Government Order No. R. 1183-93—L. R. 210-37-30, dated the 2nd September 1938, passing orders in the matter of levy of upset price in connection with the restoration of Khates on payment of arrears due, etc.

3. Letter No. C. 16—40-41, dated the 27th August 1940, from the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, recommending that the Amildars and Deputy Amildars may be empowered to restore Khates irrespective of the period to which the arrears for which the lands were resumed relate.

ORDER No. R. 71-83—L. R. 144-40, DATED CAMP MYSORE, THE 10TH OCTOBER 1940.

With a view to minimise correspondence and delay in the disposal of applications for restoration of Khates, Government empowered Amildars and Deputy Amildars to order the restoration of Khates of lands resumed to Government for want of bidders in all cases in which they have power to resume them, on payment of the arrears to Government with all costs and charges lawfully due by the defaulters, provided the power is exercised within the Revenue year next following that to which an arrear or any portion of it relates. The Revenue Commissioner has now brought to the notice of the Government that in a large number of cases, the resumptions are over a year old and that therefore, the Amildars and Deputy Amildars cannot deal with such cases, with the result that the object of Government in delegating the power to these officers has not been fully operative. He has recommended therefore that these officers may be empowered to restore Khates of lands in all cases in which they have power to resume them without, however, any restriction as regards the time of resumption of the lands. Government agree with the Revenue Commissioner and are pleased to sanction his recommendation.

Rules 38 (2) of Land Revenue Rules will be modified accordingly.

B. T. KESAVIENGAR,
Chief Secretary to Government.

Directs the formation of the Sringeri Jaghir into a Sub-Taluk in the charge of a Deputy Amildar.

ORDER No. R. 14-20—L. R. 206-40, DATED CAMP MYSORE, THE 10TH OCTOBER 1940.

Under the powers vested in them by Section 5 of the Mysore Land Revenue Code, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to direct in modification of Government Order No. R. 5862-5—L. R. 312-35-4, dated 24th April 1936, that the villages included in the Sringeri Jaghir be formed into a Sub-Taluk of the Kadur District in the charge of a Deputy Amildar; and under Section 8 of the said Code, they are further pleased to direct that Mr. K. V. Srinivasachar appointed to be the Officer-in-charge of the Jaghir and its properties as per Government Order No. 606-9—Muz. 116-40-1, dated 19th September 1940, be empowered to exercise the functions and perform the duties of an Assistant Commissioner in respect of the Sub-Taluk, so long as the Sub-Taluk continues under the management of Government.

B. T. KESAVIENGAR,
Chief Secretary to Government.

Passes orders directing the constitution of Standing Committees of District Conferences.

READ—

Government Order No. R. 3532-600—L. R. 219-37-2, dated the 3rd February 1938, directing the revival of the District and Taluk Conferences in the State.

2. Government Order No. R. 649-715—L. R. 74-40-2, dated the 24th July 1940, issuing instructions with regard to the procedure to be followed for District and Taluk Conferences.

ORDER No. R. 21-70—L. R. 74-40, DATED CAMP MYSORE, THE 9—10TH OCTOBER 1940.

With a view to enhance the usefulness of the District Conferences, instructions were issued in the Order, dated the 24th July 1940, read above, for the conduct of the Conferences and for the constitution of Subject Committees in the several districts.

2. Government consider that it is necessary to make some arrangements for keeping an adequate watch on the action taken in respect of the resolutions passed at these Conferences, for taking stock of progress made from time to time and for the issue of suitable instructions so as to ensure that the subjects discussed at the Conferences are brought to a speedy disposal. Government are further of opinion that it is advantageous to constitute Committees for periodical consultation and advice on important problems relating to the Districts which may arise during the periods when the Conference will not be in session. They therefore direct that a Standing Committee of the Conference be constituted in each District consisting of not more than ten members comprising the principal officers of the district and four or five non-official gentlemen selected from among the members of the Subjects Committee. The Deputy Commissioner of the District will be the President of the Committee and the Treasury Assistant Commissioner or the Personal Assistant to the Deputy Commissioner will be the Secretary of the Committee. The Committee will generally meet once a month at the District Headquarters and its functions will be of a purely advisory character.

The Deputy Commissioners of Districts are requested to take necessary action for the early constitution of these Committees and forward to Government lists showing the names of the members of the Committees in the several districts.

B. T. KESAVIENGAR,
Chief Secretary to Government.